

STATE OF MICHIGAN
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS
LANSING

DANIEL H. HEYNS DIRECTOR

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**RICK SNYDER** 

**GOVERNOR** 

**TO:** Executive Policy Team

Administrative Management Team

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**FROM:** Daniel H. Heyns, Director

**SUBJECT:** Corrections Mental Health Program

**SUPERSEDES 2013 - 9 (effective 01/01/13)** 

The corrections mental health program provides mental health services for prisoners in need of such services under the provisions set forth in MCL 330.1001, et seq. These services, previously provided in part by the Department of Community Health (DCH) and by this Department, were consolidated under this Department in 2011. The Administrator of the Bureau of Health Care Services is responsible for ensuring that all Department policy directives and Department-wide operating procedures relating to the operation of the corrections mental health program are reviewed to identify necessary changes due to this consolidation. Until the policy directives and operating procedures are revised, DCH policies and procedures shall apply except where in direct conflict with Department policy or procedure, where specifically noted in Department policy, or as otherwise directed by the Chief Deputy Director.